FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Mairs in the United States Treasury-Legal Tenders vs. Currency Balances.

INVESTMENT SECURITIES STRONG.

Money Easy, Stocks Steady, Gold Firm.

Wall Street, Wednesday, Feb. 11-6 P. M. The President of the Senate to-day laid before that body a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, in answer to a resolution of the mayer, to take the place of the present fractional currency. The Secretary says the capacity of the nts for coinage of silver other than trade dollars is about \$10,000,000 per annum, and as the issue of fractional currency is about \$40,000,000 it will take four years to coin enough silver to replace the fractional currency. Mr. Stewart said his object m introducing the resolution was for the purpose of taking some steps to have the minis coin this silver by the time specie payment should be re-

THE UNITED STATES TREASURY. The backing and filling process of the Secretary of the Treasury in one day publishing a large reduc-tion of legal tenders, and the next day increasing the same, continues to exercise its demoralizing influence on trade and elicit uncomplimentary comments from our business men. The changes are so sudden, frequent and unexpected that no one can tell precisely where he stands for twentyfour hours in succession. When will Congress act in this important matter? The increase in circulation to-day was \$49,788, the outstanding amount now being \$381,289,715. The following table shows the daily changes in the legal tender circulation for six business days, with the currency balance at the Treasury on each day :-

Legal	Currency
Tenders.	Halances.
\$231,816	\$4,500,000
1,106	4,500,000
25, 273	4,802,155
186,000	4,976,000
210,100	5, 250, 060
666,072	4,250,000
	Tenders. \$231,816 1,106 25,273 186,000 210,100

When it is remembered that the currency balance represents the amount which the government daily employs to meet its expenses the contrast between the foregoing figures will be strikingly apparent. The Assistant Treasurer paid out today \$67,000 on account of interest, and \$79,000 in redemption of five-twenty bonds. The customs receipts were \$359,000. Internal revenue receipts

was unchanged, call loans ranging at 4 and 5 per cent. Prime mercantile paper is quoted at 5 a 7 per cent, with 6 and 6½ as ruling rates. Gold paper is lower. Foreign exchange closed firm at 4.84% a 4.85 for prime bankers' sixty day ster-ling and 4.88 for demand. It is expected that the Bank of England will soon advance its rate of discount. Commercial bills are scarce and the supply of cotton bills has also diminished.

GOVERNMENT BONDS otations:-United States currency sixes, 116% a m6%; do. do, sixes, 1881, registered, 120 a 12014; do. do., do., coupon, 120% a 120%; do. five-twenties, registered, May and November, 118% a 119; do. do., 1862, coupon, 117% a 117%; do. do., 1864, coupon, 119% a 119%; do. do., 1865, coupon, 119% a 119%; do. do., 1867, registered, January and July, 119 a 1194; do. do., coupon, 1865, 1184 a 119; do. do., do., 1867, 119% a 120; do. do., do., 1868, 119% a 119%; do. ten-forties, registered, 112 a 112%; do. do., coupon, 115% a 115%; do. fives, 1881. registered, 113 a 113%; do. do., do., conpon, 113 a

SOUTHERN SECURITIES were dull and neglected. New South Carolina es, August and October, sold at 20, Missouri eixes at 93 a 93%. The bids on the rest of the market were as follows:-Missouri sixes, 90; do. do., Hannibal and St. Joseph issue, 903;; do. do., Asylum or University, 80%; Tennessee sixes, old, 82%; de. do., old, ex-coupon, 63%; do. do., new, 82%; do. do., new, ex-coupon, 63%; do. do., new series, 63%; Virginia sixes, old, 38%; do., new, 45; do. do., consolidated, 51%; Georgia sevens, new, 87; do. do., gold bonds, 55; North Carolina sixes, North Carolina Railroad, January and July, 35; do. do., do., April and October, 35; do. do., do., off, Jan-mary and July, 25; do. do., do., off, April and October. 25; do., Funding act, 1866, 22; do., special tax, class No. 1, 11½; do., do., class No. 2, 11; do., do., class No. 3, 11; South Carolina sixes, 25; do., Funding act, 1866, 15; Arkansas sixes, Funding act, 34; do. sevens, Little

NORTH CAROLINA SPECIAL TAX BONDS. An effort is being made to procure the payment of the interest upon this issue, of which there are outstanding \$11,400,000, and the question is now pending before the State Legislature whether or not they shall be absorbed in an exchange of new six per cent bonds of the State at the rate of fifty cents on the dollar for principal and interest. A suit is also pending in the Superior Court of Wake county, North Carolina, which was instituted by essrs. August Belmont & Co., of this city, on behalf of the Northern bondholders, to compel the Auditor of the State to collect the taxes levied in the "Special Tax act" for the payment of the in-

Rock and Fort Smith Issue, 20.

to-day advanced from 112-the opening price-to $112)_{ij}$, receded to $112)_{ij}$ and closed at $112)_{ij}$. Much speculation is indulged in as to the cause of the upward tendency in the face of the indecision of Congress. The rates paid for carrying to-day were 4, 3, 234, 2 and 1 per cent, and for borrowing flat. The final rate was 4 per cent for carrying. OPERATIONS OF THE GOLD EXCHANGE BANK TO-DAY.
Gold balances. \$1,705,105
Currency balances. 2,079,715
Gross clearances. 44,819,000

 Gross clearances.
 \$90,541,705

 Currency exchanges.
 \$90,541,705

 Currency balances
 3,463,904

 Gold exchanges
 7,000,288

 Gold balances.
 1,756,031

THE FOREIGN MARKET. London advices by cable to-day state that £3,060 have gone into the flank of England on balance. The following are late London quotations, the market being reported duil, but steady:—Consols for money, 91% a 92; do. for account, 92 a 92%; ave-twenty bonds of 1855, old, 108% a 109; do. do., 1867, 100 a 109%; ten-forty bends, 105 ¼ a 105 ¼; new fives, 102 ¼ a 103 ½; Eric Ruitway shares, 44 ½; New York Central shares, 96. Paris despatches quote rentes buoyant at 58.75. In Franklort, five-twenty bonds of 1862 were strong at 98%. The following are prices in Amsterdam:-Central Pacific first mortgage bonds, 83; Union Pacific first mortgage bonds, 73%; Union Pacific stock, 30%; St. Paul preferred, 65; Northwestern pre-

These manifested great strength to-day, and in a large proportion of the sales there was a marked advance, indicating the direction of much of the surplus money which holders prefer to invest rather than lend at present low rates of interest. Erie fourths sold at 28 1; Union Pacific tens, 83%; do. firsts, 85%; do. sevens, 82%; St. Louis and Iron Moentain, 84 ;; Western Union Telegraph sevens at 96; Milwaukee and St. Paul firsts, La Crosse division, at 92; Lake shore consolidated coupons at 97; C., C. and I. C. firsts at 90; Hannibal and St. Joseph eights, convertible, 85%; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 104 ;: New Jersey Central firsts, new, 104%; Eric seconds at 102; do, thirds, 100; Michigan Central sevens, 97% a 97%; Alton and Terre Haute seconds, preferred, 87%; Toledo and Wabash firsts, 95; do. do., St. Louis division, 88; Great Western, 85. The following were the bids as amended by the sales at

the respective boards :-	
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Ciev & Vol new bds 95%	
Clev. P & A old bds 97	Clev & Pitts ld m
L. P & A new bds 95	
Detroit, M & Tol bus 95	Chic & Alton 1st m
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Lake shore con c bds., 97	Ohio & Miss coll 54
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Cen Pac gold pds 96	21 Louis & I M M m 8636 1
Western Pacific bds 87	M & St P 8's, ist m. PD, 103
Union Pac ist m bds 861	Milasi P 1st m 7 3-10, PD 95%
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Union Pac inc 10's 83	MILA SUP IST. La C D. 32
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Bei & So III 1st m. 8's 93	Chie & Mil 1st m 54
Alt & T H 20 m pres 87%	Col, Chie & Ind 1st m 90
All & T H 2d m inc 78	Col. Chic & Ind 2d m 6014
North Mo 1st m 87	loi. Peoria & War, ED. 8834
Chic & N W st	Tol. Peoria & War. WD 83
Case & & W int bds 97	Tol. Peoria & War. 20 m 65
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Stocks were heavy and inactive, and sales were attended by a decline of from % to 1% per cent, the favorable reactions being insignificant. West ern Union sold at 77% a 76% a 77 a 76%, North western common at 60% a 59% a 59% a 60 a 59% the preferred stock at 77% a 76% a 76% a 77 a 76% Lake Shore at 83 a 82% a 82% a 82% a 82%. Union Pacific at 35% a 35 a 35% a 35%. Pacific Mail receded from 43% to 43, recovered to 43% and sold off to 43%. Wabash moved downwards from 53% to 52%, but closed at 53%. New York Cen was steady at 104% a 104% 104% a 105. Atlantic and Pacific Railroad sold at 20% a 20 a 20% a 20%, St. Paul at 47% a 473 a 47%. Delaware, Lackawanna and Wester, ranged from 112 to 111% a 111%. Rock Island sol at 108% a 107% a 108 a 108%. Eric was dull at 48% 48% a 48% a 48%, Missouri Pacific at 43% a 43. Har lem was firm but inactive at 130% a 130% a 130% New Jersey Central closed at 108%, C., C. and I. C. sold at 31% a 31% a 31%. The leader of the market in point of business was Northwestern common Canton dropped from 82 to 80%. The better deman and the more successful transactions are still shown in the investment and dividend-paying lin of securities.

THE STOCK MARKET.

HIGHEST AND LOWEST PRICES.

The following those shows the	opening,	mgnest
and lowest prices of the day :-		- Andrews
Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.
New York Central104%	104%	10434
Harlem130 %	130%	130
Erie 483%	48%	4856
Lake Shore 82%		
Wabash 55%		
Northwestern 60%		
Northwestern preferred 77%		765€
Rock Island107%		
Milwaukee and St. Paul 47%		
Milwaukee and St. Paul pf. 74		7334
Ohio and Mississippi 34%		34/4
New Jersey Central 1683	108%	
Dela., Lack. and Western112	112	
Union Pacific 35%	35%	35
C., C. and I. C 31%	3136	
Western Union 77 %	77%	
Atlantic and Pacific Tel 18%		18%
Pacific Mail 43%	43%	43
Panama116%	116%	116%
MEMORANDA.		

The Supreme Court of Connecticut has, it is stated, judicially dissolved the Boston, Hartford and Eric Railroad Company. Being a court of las resort, the corporation is thus practically wiped are still the object of much demand, and, in sym-pathy with gold, were very strong at the following to be seen. In spite of the news the stock sold to-day at 2% a 2%.

The news was circulated to-day that the Japanese Foreign Minister has notified the special agent of the Pacific Mall Steamship Company at Yokohama that the Mikado has signed the decree granting a subsidy to the line equal to that furnished by the United States government. The arrangement dates from the 7th of January, 1874, and the first instalment is to be paid at an early date. Negotiations for the sale of the old Pacific Mail sidewheel boats to the Japanese government

The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railreac Company's earnings for the first week in February,

1874, were as follows:—	F
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way Company for the month of January were:-	
1873. \$277,146 1874. 265,375	
Decrease in 1874 \$11,771	1

SALES AT THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

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4	900 LS & M S R R. bc 83 100 do	mixed Onts were quiet, but values remained about the same; we heard of sales of about 3,000 bushels at 50c. a 50c. for mixed and 50c. a 50c. for white. Rye was quiet, with sales of about 18,000 bushels at \$1 00 for Jersey and Pennsylvania, \$1 00 a \$1 00 for State and Western. Barkey was quiet, with sales of 4,000 bushels of two-rowed. State at \$1 75 a \$1 80. Canada held above the views of
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	100 do 82% 100 do 510 31% 12:30 P. M.—Refore Call.	Francers.—Business in berth freights continued mod- erate, and rates remained about steady. Tonnage in the chartering time attracted more attention to-day, both
3	100 she West Un Tel h3 76% 100 she Chi & NW CR . 19%	from the grain and petroleum interests, and those closed were at very fuel rates. The engagements were:—To
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	200 4 P Tel. 12% 400 do. 55 564	1.00) bales of cotton date last evening) at 4d. To London, by sait, 8,000 bushels of grain at 9 dd. for corn and
N	200 to Pac RR 45 150 200 do	by steam, 8.000 bushels of grain at 113-d., 3,000 bbls. flour at 48 64, and 33) boxes of bacon at 3a 6d. To Hamburg.
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	1200 ac 434, 200 do	hence to Stockholm full carge of bacon at 5.s.; a Nor- wegian bark of 501 tons, placed on the berth for Antwerp.
4		at a lump sum, on private terms; an italian bark, hence to a direct Italian port, 12,000 cases of refined petroleum, said to be at or about 32½;; a Norwagian bark, hence to Cork for orders to the United Kingdom, 3,300 bbls of re-
		Cork for orders to the United Kingdom, 3,300 bbis. of re- fined do, at 7s., with privilege of the Continent, at 10 per
•	20 Chi & NW Ra . 83 30% 20 2115 P. M.	cent additional: a Norwegian brig, hence to Guttenburg, 1.800 bbls. of refined do. at 7s. 6d.; a German bark, hence
	\$60000 US 6's. r 11 12) \$500 US 5-20, c. 165, n., 11814	Cork for orders to the United Aingdom, 3,300 bits, of re- fined do, at 7s, with privilege of the Continent, at 10 per- cent additional; a Norwegian brig, hence to Guttenburg, 1,800 bits, of refined do, at 7s, 6d; a German bark, hence to Bremen, 5,000 bits, of refined do, at 6s, 45,4d, with priv- lege of Hamburg at 6s, 6d; a German bark, to arriv- within a few days, hence to Elsinore for orders, 2,300 bits of refined do, a private forms.
	500 US 6's, c, '81. 1294 600 do. 1183, 500 do. 1204 600 US 520, c, '7 1194, 500 US 520, c, '12 1174, 2190 do. 1194, 360 US 520, r, '64 1184, 2.00 do. 1194	bbis. of refined do on private terms. Molasses.—Trade continued slow, except in a jobbing
0	0000 C 5 5 20, C, 01 119 2 5.0 US 5-20, C, 08 11972	way, where business was moderate, with prices ruling steady. We append our former quotations as follows:—
	Second Based I P. M.	do, new crop, 22c, a 30c.; Cuba clayed, old crop, 21c. a
	\$1000 Misseuri 6's. 93 100 shs Del, L&W RR 1115, 1000 do 933, 200 do be 1115, 5000 Erie 4th m 985, 1100 LS A M 5 KR.bc.b3 Sc. 5000 Un fac RR 18, 18, 18, 100 LS A M 5 KR.bc.b3 Sc. 200 do 855, 12, 20 do 82, 1000 Un fac RR 18, 85, 85, 18, 100 Un fac RR 18, 85, 85, 18, 100 Un fac RR 18, 18, 18, 18, 18, 18, 18, 18, 18, 18,	bbls. of refined do on private terms. Mozassa.—Trade continued slow, except in a jobbing way, where business was moderate, with prices ruling steady. We append our former quotations as follows:—Cuba, centritural and mixed, old crop, 18c. a 19c.; do., on we crop, 29c. a 39c.; dola, clayed, old crop, 29c. a 29c.; do., muscovado refining, old crop, 21c. a 29c.; do., new crop, 39c. a 39c.; dol., muscovado refining, old crop, 21c. a 29c.; dol., new crop, 39c. a 39c.; dol., severop, 39c. a 39c.; for dolar cop, 29c. a 39c.; English Island, dol., 29c. a 59c.; English Island, dol., 29c. a 59c.; Subsequently, Charles and Coppend furn, with holders asking 59c.; subsequently.
	5000 Erie 4th m 985 1100 LS A MS KR.bc.b3 824 5000 Un Pac 10's, m. be 83 100 do	a 40c.; Porto Bico, old crop, 28c. a 50c.; English Islands, do., 26c. a 50c.; New Orleans, do., 45c. a 60c.; new
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1- a	Toni Cal I & Woon 1041 2.0	NAVAL STORES.—For sprints of uppening the market opened firm, with holders asking Sec; subsequently, however, a round lot was offered at 4cc without finding a purchaser. At the close there was very little obtainable under 50c., and we note a sale of 5t libbs, at that price. Room was inactive, but firm; strained quoted at 22 50 a \$2 55. A sale was reported of 300 small bibs, at 22 75. The finer grades were held at previous prices and the sale was reported, but nominal in the absence of transactions. Personaux.—The market for refued was quiet, but
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n	2000 N J Cen Ist. n. 104 100 do 3 35 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 6 6 6	absence of transactions. Parnoluvu.—The market for refined was quiet, but values were about steady. We note sales of 1,000 bbls. of standard white, for prompt delivery, at 16c., quoted at 16c for last half of March and 16½ c for April. We also note sales of 3,000 bbls. of standard white, buyer's option, first half of May, at 17c; 770 bbls. of high test, for prompt delivery, at 16½ c, and 3,550 bblg of to, for do, at 16c. Crude in suik was neglected and quoted nominally at 74c; 77c, sone or worth reason noted at 21½ c, a 22c.
d	8:0 West Un Tet bc 76% 100 do 59%	note sales of 3,000 bbls, of standard white, buyer's option, first half of May, at 17c.; 770 bbls, of high test, for prompt
r-	100 do	Crude in oulk was neglected and quoted nominally at 73cc. a 73cc, spot or month; cases quoted at 213cc. a 22cc.
0.	600 do	the latter price for small lots. Naphtha nominal at about 8 c. for city. The Philadelphia market was dull;
et		Grude in only was neglected and quoted nominally at 75c. a 75c., spot or month; cases quoted at 21/5c. a 22c., the latter price for small lots. Naphtha nominal at about 85c. for city. The Philadelphia market was duli; no disposition was manifested to operate; refined quoted at 15c. for spot and balance or month and 155c. for March. The Creek quotations were as follows:—Oil City, \$2 10; Tidionic, \$1 85; Rouville, \$13 3 \$2; Titusville, \$2 17/5 a \$2. 20; Parker's, \$2 15 a \$2. 20 at Union, \$2 10 a \$2! 5 at United. Later we heard of sales in Philadelphia of 5,000 bils. of standard white for last half of March at 155c.
n.	100 do s60 8% 100 Mil & St P.R.R. bc 47%	City, \$2 10; Tidionie, \$1 85; Rousville, \$1 93 a \$2; Titusville, \$2 17 a \$2 20; Parker's, \$2 15 a \$2 20 at Union, \$2 10
11	100 U.S.Express	delphia of 5,900 bbls. of standard white for last half of
	25 do	Phovisions.—Receipts—Pork, 254 bbls.; beef, 722 packages; cut meats, 2,000 do.; lard, 1,123 bbls. and tierces
t	500 do 435 100 Atl & Pac pt 20%	with prices ruling easier; we note sales of 7,500 bbls. for March, at \$15.75; and 500 bbls. for May, at \$16.124; eash
	200 NY C& H R R R . be 10434 100 do 2034 100 do 2034 100 do	lots quoted at \$16. Bacon was steady, with sales reported of 100 boxes of city long clear, spot, at 85c.; 286 do. of
4	500 III Cen RR be 107% 200 Pac RR of Mobc 43	and short clear, for March, at 8½c. Dressed hogs were
	2:30 to 3 P. M. 2:2000 US 5's, r. 'St 113 100 shs Chi 4 NW RR. 59%	7c. a 7%c. for the range. Beef continued quiet, but prices were not materially changed : lots to the amount
	22000 US 5'S 7. 'Sl. 113 100 shs Chi & NW RR. 594; 2000 Mich South St. 1645; 100 Cai & NW RR pf. 83 767; Sib she west in Tel. 77 400 do. 764	from \$8 a \$ 1 tor plain mess bbls, first and second grades; \$11 50 a \$13 50 for extra mess bbls, \$21 a \$22 for prime
	200 do 83 76% 100 do 77% 100 Wells Fargo 5.x. bol) 78% 300 do 77	mess tierces, \$25 a \$26 for India do., and \$28 50 a \$30 for extra India mess. Beef hams were neglected, but quoted
	100 Fac a 55 Co 83 1572 300 00 83 1674	for Western. Cut means were in moderate request and
200	200 do	pickled hams, 12 lbs. average, at 11½c.; 1,500 fresh hams, 12 lbs. average, at 11c.; 2,000 lbs. of smoked belies at 10c.;
8	100 de 10	5,000 lbs. do., heavy average, on private terms. Lard
4	701 do 104 101 do 108 4 400 do 83 104 2 100 do 83 108 4	note sales of 850 tierces for February, at 92c.; 1,500 tierces for March, at 92c., and 1,250 tierces for April, at
*	200 Harlen RR. 130 250 Del, L & W RR. 111 3	a \$2 16 at United. Later we heard of sales in Philadelphia of 5,000 bbls. of standard white for last half of March at 15/5c. Provisions.—Receipts—Pork, 254 bbls.; beef, 722 packages; cut meats, 2,00 do.; lard, 1,123 bbls. and tierces and 50 kess. The market for mess pork remained quiet, with prices rulling easier; we note sales of 7,500 bbls. for May, at \$16 12½; cash lots quoted at \$16. Bacon was steady, with sales reported of 100 bors of city long clear, spot, at \$5/c.; 28/do. of long and short clear, spot, at \$5/c.; and \$500 do. of long and short clear, spot, at \$5/c.; and \$500 do. of long and short clear, for March, at \$5/c.; and \$500 do. of long and short clear, for March, at \$5/c.; and \$500 do. of long and short clear, for March, at \$5/c.; and western at c. a 7/3c. for the range. Beef continued quiet, but prices were not materially changed; lots to the amount of 75 packages were placed, at prices ranging from \$5 a \$1 100 plain mess bbls., \$21 a \$22 for bring from \$3 a \$1 100 plain mess bbls., \$21 a \$22 for bring meast tierces, \$22 a \$26 for India do., and \$25 0 a \$30 for extra 1810 in mess. Beef hams were neglected, but quoted steady at from \$24 50 a \$25 for Southern, and \$25 a \$26 for Western. Cut means were in moderate request and not materially changed in value. We note sales of 1,500 pickled hams, 12 lbs. average, at 11/c.; 1/50 tresh hams, 12 lbs. average at 11/c.; 1/50 tresh hams, 12 lbs. average, at 11/c.; 1/50 tresh hams, 12 lbs. average
6	100 100	terially changed from those last quoted. SUGAR.—The market for raw sugar has been active to- day and quoted firm on the basis of 7%c. a 8%c. for fair
8	100 do	Sugar. The market for raw sugar has been active to- day and quoted firm on the basis of 75%. a 5% c, for fair to good refining. The transactions, however, were chiefly at prices not made public. We note sales of 800 hids of centrifugal on private terms: 678 hids. Mar-
d	800 Chi & NW RR 60 300 Onio & Miss RR 34 , 100 do 60 200 C, C & I C RR h3 312	tinique (part last evening) on private terms; 30 boxes of claved on private terms, and 10.298 bags of manual
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s	1700 do 5032 500 do 2013 2.0 do 83 5916 500 do 2014	hids of centrifugal on private terms; 64 hids Martinuou (part last evening) on private terms; 30 boxes of clayed on private terms, and 10,288 bags of mania at 75c. Retined was not materially changed in value, and in fair request. We quote —Cuba—Renning inferior to common, 65c. a 75c.; fair to good fair, 75c. a 75c.; good to prime 8c. a 85c.; greery, fair to good, 85c. a 85c.; prime to choice, 85c. a 85c.; centrifugal bids, and boxes, Nos. 8 to 13, 45c. a 85c.; molasses, hids, and boxes, Soc. a 85c.; general bids, and boxes, Soc. a 75c.; melado, 4c. a 6c. Cuba clayed—Boxes, Dutch standard, Nos. 7 to 9, 65c. a
d	200 do	centrifugal blids and boxes, Nos 8 to 13, 85c. a 85c. molasses, blids, and boxes, 65c. a 75c.; melado, 4c. a 6c.
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CLOSING PRICES-3 O'CLOCK P. M.

Cotton Quiet-Flour Steady-Wheat Dull and Lower-Corn Lower-Oats Unchanged-Pork Easter-Lard Firmer-Sugar Active and Firm-Coffee Quiet and Steady-Freights About Steady-Petroleum Unenanged-Naval Stores Duil-Whiskey Higher. WEDNESDAY, Feb. 11-6 P. M.

The trade movement was slower in some quar-ters, while in others it was considerably accelout especial change. Whiskey was firmer, but not very active at the improvement. Pork remained dull, but there was some future business at rather easier prices. Lard was decidedly firmer and more active. Freights remained very quiet. Cotton was quiet and unchanged for lots on the spot, but in moderate demand at an 3/c. per lb. for futures. Groceries were generally quiet excepting sugar, which was in active demand and firm. Petroleum was less active to day, but prices were steady Naval stores were dull and values were to an exten-

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FLOUR AND GRAIN Recei	pts-Flour	9.297 bols.	: wheat
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with sales of about 18,000 hushels of 120 or state and Western. Barkey was quiet, with sales of 4,000 bushels of two-rowed state at \$1.75 a \$1.80. Canada neid above the views of buyers.

Festigate.—Business in berth freights continued moderate, and rates remained about steady. Tonnage in the chartering time attracted more attention today before the continued moderate, and rates remained about steady. Tonnage in the chartering time attracted more attention today before the continued of the continued moderate were referenced to the continued of t City, \$2 10: Tilionic, \$1 85: Rousville, \$1 93 a \$2. Titusville, \$2 175 a \$2 0. Parker's, \$2 15 a \$2 0. at Union, \$2 10 a \$2 15 at United. Later we heard of sales in Philadelphia of 5,000 bbls. of sundard white for last half of March at 1556.

Provisions.—Recelpts—Pork, 254 bbls.; beef, 722 packages; cut meats, 2,000 do.; lard, 1,123 bbls. and tierces and 50 kegs. The market for mess pork remained quiet, with prices rulling easier; we note sales of 7,500 bbls. for May, at \$15 175; and 500 bbls. for May, at \$15 175; and 500 bbls. for May, at \$15 175; cash lots quoted at \$16. Bacon was steady, with sales reported of 100 boxes of city long clear, spot, at \$15c; 128 do. of Western short clear, spot, at \$5c; 128 do. of western short clear, spot, at \$5c; 128 do. of western short clear, spot, at \$5c; and 500 do. of long and short clear, for March, at \$5c; and 500 do. of long and short clear, for March, at \$5c; and 500 do. of long and short clear, for march, at \$5c; and \$20 do. of long respectively of the sales of the sales

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

Cotton from Hight demand: good ordinary, 134;c.; middling, 16c. Net receipts, 9:9 hales. Exports—16 Great Britain, 1866; to the Continent, 2500; coastwise, 1,750. Sales, 750. Stock, 115,910. New Orleans, Feb. 11, 1874. Cotton firm. fair demand: middling, 16c.; tow middling, 167;c.; good ordinary, 135;c.; ordinary, 195;c. Net receipts, 9:185 bales; gross, 10,507; Exports—16 Great Britain, 84;; to the Continent, 200; to France, 3,259; coastwice, 1,281. Sales, 3,000; last evening, 6,500. Stock, 340,652. tivity with almost every successive day. On Containing flow was quiet, but unchanged. Wheat was dull and lower, the concession occasioning no was dull and lower, the concession occasioning no greater activity than previously prevailed. Corn Exports coastwise, 4. Sales, 1,354. Slock, 88, 153.

Cotton steady; midoling, 15½c, a 15½c,; low middling, 14½c, a 14½c,; good ordinary, 14½c, Net receipts, 1,522 bales. Exports coastwise, 301, Sales, 1,500. Stock, 56,807. bases. Exports coastwise, 201. Sales, 1,500. Stock, 56,807.
Flour unchanged; sales of 1,300 bbls, at \$5 for No. 1 spring, \$9 for amber winter, \$9 50 for white winter and \$10 for double extra. Wheat dult; sales of two cars No. 1 Minwankee Club at \$1 59; one car No. 1 white Michigan at \$1 85. Corn quiet at 80c. Oats held at 52 123. Corn meal-\$1 55 for bolted and \$1 50 for unbolted, per cwt. Militeed unchanged; shorts, \$22 a \$22; shipstiffs, \$23 a \$22; middlings, \$25 a \$25 per too. Rallread freights—Flour to Philadelphia and Boston, 60c.; to New York, 50c.; to Albany, \$2c.

Railroad freights—Flour to Philadelphia and Boston, 60c.; to New York, 50c.; to Albany, 52c.

Burpato, Feb. 11, 1874.

Imports for the last twenty-tour hours:—Flour, 5,600 hbis.; wheat, 16,000 bushels; corn. 2,500 do. 15,000 bushels; corn. 2,500 do. 15,000 bushels; corn. 2,500 do. 15,000 bushels; corn. 2,500 do.; oats, 27,200 co. burled; 5,000 bushels; corn. 2,500 do.; oats, 27,200 co. burled; 5,000 bushels; corn. 2,500 do.; oats, 27,200 co. burled; 5,000 bushels; corn. 2,600 do.; oats, 27,200 co. burled; 5,000 bushels; corn. 2,600 do.; oats, 27,200 co. burled; 5,000 bushels; corn. 2,600 do.; oats, 27,200 co. burled; 5,000 bushels; corn. 2,600 do.; oats, 27,200 do.; oats, 28,200 bushels; corn. 2,600 do.; oats, 28,200 bushels; corn. 2,600 do.; oats, 2,600 do.; o

ments—1,000 bbis. Bour, 1,000 bushels wheat, 6,000 do, corn and 2,000 do oats.

Plour dull and nominal; sales of extra spring at \$5.90 at \$5.50 at \$1.00 bushels wheat, 6,000 do, corn and 2,000 do oats, 18 12 at \$1.20 at

BOSTON WOOL MARKET.

Boston. Feb. 11. 1874.

There is no important change in the market for domestic wool. Manuacturers are buying moderately at current rates and there is no pressure to seli on the part of holears. About three-quarters of a million pounds of fine fleece have been bought up quietly the past two weeks, and stocks of this description are somewhat reduced and in tew hands. Low and medium grades of pulled are rather dull. Choice superfine and extras command full previous rates. We quote sales of extra and double extra Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces at 55c, the first of the control of the contr

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COPARTNERSHIPS.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—THE PARTNERSHIP I'm of Koch, Stutz & Allen is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All outstanding accounts of the firm will be settled by William P. Allen, No. 24 Barclay street.

GEORGE KOCH.
F. STUTZ.
M. 8. ALLEN.

N. S. ALLEN.

WRENCH & TRAVERS—LIMITED PARTNERSHIP—
Notice is bereby given that a limited partnership has been formed by the undersigned, porsuant to the york relisting to limited partnerships, and the agreement of the state of New York relisting to limited partnerships, and the agreement of the state of New York relisting to limited partnerships, and the agreement of the state of New York relisting to immited partnerships and the state of New York relisting to the conducted is french at Travers. Second—The general nature of the business intended to be transacted is a general merchandise brokerage and commission business. Third—The names of all the general and special partners interested in the said partnership, and their respective places of residence, are as follows, that is to say—The general partners set the French and John travers, Junior, both of whom reside in the city, county and State of New York. The special partner therein is William R. Travers, who also resides in the city, county and state of New York. Fourth—The said William R. Travers, as such special partner, has contributed \$100,000 of capital to the common stock in United States currency. Fifth—The said partnership is commence on the 1st day of January, in the year 1974, and is to continue until and terminate upon the 31st day of December 31, 1873.

New York, December 31, 1873.

S. B. FRENCH.
JOHN TRAVERS, Special Partner.

Title COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between the undersigned under the firm name of Giennon & Reirdon is this day dissolved by mutual consent. William A. Giennon only is authorized to sign miquidation.

New York, Feb. 110, 1874.

WILLIAM REIRDON.

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A BUSINESS CHANCE SELDOM MET WITH.—FOR sale, a large corner family Liquor Store, with five years Lease of whole building; 18 rooms and extra store; rent \$1.000 per year. Inquire of Miss ANN MORGAN, 26 Lewis street, corner of Stanton street. A PARTY WITH \$3,000 DESTROUS OF GOING INTO the retail grocory business will meet with a fine opportunity by addressing GROCER, box 3,086 Postomer

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A FOUNDRY AND FINISHING SHOP, IN COM-plete running order, for sale; one of the best manu-facturing stands in New England; payments made easy. Address box 128 Herald Uptown Branch office.

FOR SALE, STOCK, PIXTURES AND LEASE OF AN old established Gent's Furnishing Store in good le-cality. Satisfactory reasons given. Address N. F. S., Heraid office. HOTEL.-PARTNER WANTED, WITH \$40,000, IN A hotel in this city, newly and elegantly farnished and amanged by a well known party: \$80,000 now invested. Also, as Interest in Hotel, Mineral Springs and Sammer Resort, for \$32,000, Apply to GRIGGS, CARLETON & CO., 38 Broadway.

WANTED-A PARTNER, WITH \$6,000 TO \$10,000 capital in a good, profitable manufacturing business, established three years since. Address K. K., Herald office.

WANTED-A PARTNER, WITH 210,000, TO JOIN IN the Hotel and Restaurant business, where \$15,000 can be realized as profits yearly. Address J. F. RICH-ARDS, 89 East Ninth street. WANTED-A RELIABLE MAN, WITH \$250 TO \$300 W cash, to take a full one-half interest in a legitimate business that will pay, sure, \$200 per week; none bus men meaning straight business need apply. Address MONEY, box ill Herald Uptown Branch office.

\$300 WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—A SMART BUSI-ness woman wants a lady as partner, silent or active, to join her in an established business in this city, which pays 200 per cent. Apply, from 2 to 4, to Mrs. HARDING, 50 Fourth avenue, near Eighth street.

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PALMER'S CLAIM.

The Tenth National Bank Case-How Ex-Senator Mike Norton Was Induced to Turn State's Evidence-Comptroller Green's Hand-Governor Dix the Trump Card-Another Thunderbolt Coming-Some Revelations.

It was stated in certain political circles yester-

day that the recent amdavit of ex-Senator Norton in the case of the Tenth National Bank was only the first gun of certain other startling revelations which the "Thunderbolt" was prepared to make, provided that the document, which has already been published, as sworn to before a friend of Norton, who is a notary public, fails of accomplishing the desired end of the fagitive and his friendsnamely, immunity from all legal consequences at the hands of the District Attorney. A great deal of curiosity exists as to how the affidavit was brought about-whether voluntarily offered by Norton or made

UNDER CERTAIN INDUCEMENTS held out to him. Politicians without a single exception scout the idea that no promise of some kind or other was made to Norton to induce him to turn State's evidence. On this head a HERALD reporter is enabled to present the following facts, which were yesterday collected from the most reliable sources.

When it was learned in the Department of

Finance that the argument on the claims of the Tenta National Bank against the city would come up for hearing in Supreme Court Chambers on Saturday morning last, it was resolved at first that Mr. Dexter Hawkins, the Comptroller's counsel in ordinary, should defend the suit on behalf of the city. Mr. Hawkins had succeeded Mr. John H. Strahan as the counsel to

COMPTROLLER GREEN
for the defence of private claims against the city. Mr. Strahan, after some apprenticeship to the Comptroller in that capacity, becoming at last dissatisfied with the Comptroller's course, decided to take up the claims of individuals against the city, in which cases he was eagerly sought, by reason of his experience. These were more numerous than those in which the city succeeded and afforded a better percentage. For this reason it has been a long time since Mr. Strahan appeared as counsel for the city. The Comptroller, however, was well aware that Mr. Strahan had been

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AN INTIMATE FRIEND
of Norton's, and when the argument on the claim of the Tenth National Bank hoomed up he determined that in this particular case Mr. Dexter Hawkins, his private counsel, should stand aside and that Mr. John H. Strahan should come to the front. Mr. Strahan was asked if it would not be possible to secure a confession from Norton under certain circumstances. These circumstances, after some questions from Mr. Strahan the Comptroller explained, meant that he Mr. Green would use every effort in Norton's lavor, not with District Attorney Pheips, but with Governor Dix himself, with whom he said he was all powerful, provided that ne (Norton) would consent to give such information as would tend to invahidate the claim of the Tenta National Bank and make affidavit to the facts. Mr. Strahan, after some consideration, agreed TO OPEN NEGOTIATIONS
with the counsel of his old friend to induce the latter to open his mouth. Another consultation was held, and it was agreed that Mr. Taintor, one of the "examiners" of the Department of Finance, whose salaty is \$25 per day, should be taken into the case. Mr. Strahan was commissioned to wait on Judge Dittenhoefer, counsel for Norton, and to make a formal proposal of Comptroller Green's terms and to give the required guarantees for the Comptroller's sincerity.

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Norton had himself wanted to turn State's evidence and make a formal affidavit last spring, but by the advice of his friends he held over until election time, when he was told by his friends he could make "a deal" with the republican party, by which, in return for his support of that party in his own district, he would be guaranteed immunity from all legal consequences. He supported Senator Booth, the republican candidate for the Fith district, strongly; but, as the event showed, he reckoned without District Attorney Phelps. For this reason Comptroller Green's proposal was gladly jumped at when offered to the fugitive. There was

gladly jumped at when offered to the fugitive. There was AN ADDITIONAL MOTIVE for his turning State's evidence in the fact that during his forced absence his wire, who had given birth to a caild, was alarmingly ill. Norton has strong friends in the republican party, among others Sheridan Shook, who is the partner of Judge Dittenhoefer, who is defending him, and who was induced to take the case by Mr. Shook, as Norton, it is said, is unable to fee a lawyer to defend him. These republican friends will work might and main to save him tout if they should fail it is confidently asserted that Norton is so worried by his forced absence from the city that he will offer to make a clean breast of all he knows, not only about the County Court House france, but about certain other DARK TRANSACTIONS of the old Tammany days upon which no light has yet been thrown, and which will necessitate a speedy departure for parts unknown by prominent in a word, that there is another thunderboit in formation.

SHOCKING DEATH OF A RIVER CAPTAIN.

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NEWBURG, Feb. 11, 1874. At eight o'clock last night Captain Daniel Me-

Millan, of the Hudson River sloop New Jersey, was instantly killed at Dutchess Junction, on the Hudson River Railroad, by being run over by the milk train of the Dutchess and Columbia Railroad. He had stepped off the main track to get out of the way of the train, and shortly afterward it was switched on to the track on which he was standing, and, backing down, ran over him. Several cars passed over him, mutilating the body in a shocking manner. The right arm was severed, body disemboweiled and cut nearly in two, legs crushed, &c. The first that was known of the accident was by a brakeman seeing the shattered remains on the track. McMillan was well known to the river boatmen. He was about forty years of age and leaves a wife and four children. He was a member of one of the Massonic lodges of this city and will be interred with the usual burial ceremonies of that order. had stepped off the main track to get out of the way